OLD ENGLAND:

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To the AUTHOR, *&c.*

Inur'd to Falſhood we ourſelves deceive,
Oft what we wiſh we fancy we believe. PAGET.

SIR,

I HAVE read your laſt Paper with great Pleaſure and Attention, and as it is notorious that this Lottery is not ſo advantageous to Adventurers as the laſt was, and that even *that*, tho' better than *this*, was alſo worſe than the preceding Lottery, and conſequently that the Terms given to the Public are ſtill worſe and worſe, there is all the Reaſon in the World to believe, that it is altogether owing to the Obſervations that have been craftily made on the Paſſions and Bent of the People for Lotteries, and their Forwardneſs to embark in them at all Events; inſomuch, that if we have a Lottery again next Year, upon even worſe Terms than the preſent one, our Superiors will have no Reaſon to deſpond of having their Complement of Adventurers, unleſs they ſhould again let their Countenances ſhine upon ſuch *Subſcribers* as may be unable to make good their Engagements, and ſo be forced again to cry out and bargain for Help.

It ſeems the *Jobbers* would not deal with the *Subſcribers*, unleſs they had Permiſſion to ſplit and divide Tickets into *Shares* and *Chances*; ſo that, without this Practice, there can be no Lottery, as the Succeſs of it depends upon *gaming* away *Shares* and *Chances*. The Neceſſities of the G***t beget Projectors, Projectors beget Undertakers, Undertakers beget Jobbers, Jobbers beget Brokers, and Brokers beget Adventurers. Inſtead of *Permiſſion* to ſplit and divide Tickets, I ſhould have ſaid *Authority*; for we find one or more of our honeſt Brokers advertiſing, that, "having "purchaſed a large Quantity of Tickets, they are, to oblige "the Public, divided into *Halves*, *Fourths*, *Eighths*, and "*Sixteenths*," AS ALLOW'D BY ACT OF PARLIAMENT. But I can't find that any of them advertiſe, that Subdiviſions into CHANCES and *Shares of* CHANCES, are lawful; tho' one of them mentions, that, "for the *Conveniency* of "ſome Adventurers, Tickets are divided into 100 *Chances* "at 1 *s.* 6 *d.* per Chance." Very convenient truly this! and further to induce Adventurers to bite at his Worm, he tells them roundly, that "they have no leſs than 39 "*Chances* for Five Pounds." O rare! a notable Bargain on my Word.

It is very humorous to obſerve how exceedingly kind theſe generous Advertiſers invite People into their *lucky* Shops. The Whiſtling of Partridge into a Net is nothing in Compariſon to them. Their Lure is much finer, more perſuaſive, more engaging, more effectual! It works like a Charm: 'Tis coercive, and an Adventurer is as irreſiſtibly attracted in as a Toad into the Maw of an Adder. One good Man admoniſhes the Public to embrace *an Opportunity which may not happen again for many Years, on Account of the* PEACE. If the Advertiſer had been appriſed how Matters go at the Rendezvous of Negociation, I doubt he would not have given PEACE as a Reaſon to catch at the preſent Opportunity; for it is not improbable but we may ſee more Opportunities occuring before his *Peace* appears.

Tho' we find ſeveral other very civil Advertiſers, who warn us in to deal with them, under very advantageous Circumſtances and Inducements, yet there are two that ſtrike my Fancy more particularly for good Luck. Theſe are *J. Hazard* and *F. Wilſon*, who appear to me preferable to all the reſt, as they give very convincing Reaſons of their *fair* and *fortunate* Dealings in former Lotteries, and that conſequently their Shops are more *ſucceſsful* than others; but I am not a little puzzled upon which of theſe two *Favourites* of Fortune I ſhall fix my Attention, in order to put in for a good round Prize. Moſt cogent indeed are the Reaſons, and wonderouſly *ſignificant* the Obſervations and Arguments from both Quarters! *Hazard* gives me my Choice of no leſs than three Stations he is poſſeſs'd of for my Accommodation, but ſeems to point more emphatically at his *New State Lottery Office*; and indeed very warrantably too, for there he ſays was ſold the *fortunate* Ticket, which bore away the Bell in the laſt Lottery, the great Prize of TEN THOUSAND POUNDS! and to put the Credit of the Matter beyond Doubt, he ſatisfies me that it was parcelled out into *Shares* of *Fourths* and *Eighths*, and alſo where the Perſons intitled reſide; who, upon Enquiry, I take for granted will confirm his Aſſertion, eſpecially as moſt of them are Women, who are generally very communicative as to all fortunate Events. There he mentions too, that if I would become an Adventurer at a ſmall Expence, I may be ſupplied with a *whole* CHANCE or a *Share* of a CHANCE. Tho' theſe are very advantageous Propoſals, yet there is ſomething which he has omitted that inclines me very much to deal with him; and that is his Name, ſo very analogous to a Lottery, and no doubt doth *ſympathetically* correſpond with it. To thoſe who are acquainted with the Force and Power of Sympathy, this will appear no very ſtrange Matter. There is a very great Affinity between the Words *Hazard* and *Lottery*, nay, it may be ſaid, and not improperly, that they are ſynonimous Terms. As they are ſo nearly related, I don't doubt but there may be an affectionate Communication between them. I therefore am ſtrongly tempted to deal at Mr. *Hazard*'s Shop.

But my Reſolution is ſtaggered when I conſider the Weight and Significance of *Wilſon*'s Advertiſement, as the Merit of *Hazard*'s *New State Lottery-Office* ſeems to fall ſhort of the Virtue of *Wilſon*'s contradiſtinguiſhed *Oldeſt State Lottery-Office*; ſince it may be very reaſonably conjectured, that Fortune, however variable, may retain a great Affection for an old Acquaintance; as a Woman is ever known to entertain an hankering Kindneſs for her firſt Lover to the laſt, notwithſtanding ſhe may have roved into the Embraces of ſome new Admirers. *Wilſon* too ſeems to counter-balance *Hazard*'s boaſted Prize of 10000 *l.* by a double Favour from Lady Fortune, in a Brace of lucky Prizes of 5000 *l.* each; which not only amounts to *Hazard*'s ſingle Prize, but goes beyond it in ſome Meaſure, as Fortune has honoured him with no leſs than two Viſits to *Hazard*'s one, and ſo may be reaſonably expected to diſtinguiſh his Office more frequently than that of his Rival. He tenders me likewiſe my Choice of no leſs than three Stations to furniſh myſelf at, ſo that I may pick and chuſe among the Ware of either Shop. He is likewiſe ſo kind to tell me, that if I have *not much Money to riſque*, I may have an Opportunity to gain a great Number of large Prizes, which he gives himſelf the Trouble to ſpecify, and delivers his Opinion that ſuch an Opportunity *may never offer again*, but prudently avoids mentioning the PEACE as his Reaſon. He proceeds to tell me, for my Comfort, that I may have ſomething for my *Blanks*, in caſe I ſhould be unfortunate. In this he deals more ingenuouſly than *Hazard*, who, mentioning not a Word of *Blanks*, miſled me to believe that his Office was devoted to *Prizes* only; tho' I muſt confeſs, that his *ſympathetic Name* has made a very great Impreſſion upon my Mind, and inclines me wonderfully towards his Shop, as I mentioned before.

How to determine with myſelf in this moot Point is more than I can at preſent diſcuſs: I have called ſeveral of my Friends into my Council, who vary in their Opinions, after having conſulted the two Advertiſements with great Deliberation. My Wife, who was much the loudeſt at our Council-Board, recommends your Advice as proper to determine the Matter. Tho' I am frequently obliged to *hear* her more than perhaps I could wiſh, yet, as her Arguments are generally more loud than convincing, I ſeldom coincide with her in Opinion. However, I think her Advice good in this Caſe, and therefore am reſolved to abide by your's; which I hope you'll favour me with in your next.

Your humble Servant,

DUBIUS.

In Imitation of a kind of Brother Quill, who has been tranſlated from *Grubſtreet* into the *Verge of the Court*, to write, as it were, againſt me, for a ſmall weekly Subſiſtence, I am firſt to ſhew that I underſtand *Greek*, but not at the ſame Time my Ignorance in *Engliſh*, as it happens too frequently with him. As Mrs. *Dubius* takes me for a ΘειαΣολ@, that is to ſay in *Latin Sortilegus*, which is as much as to ſay in *Engliſh* a *Sorcerer*, the leaſt I can do is to eſtabliſh her Right of preſiding in Council on all Occaſions relating to her own Sex; for I think the Learned deſcribe Τυχη, anglice *Fortune*, as a Female; I will not ſay from the Variableneſs of her Temper, but—but—but rather from her invariable Complacency towards every thing—like herſelf: I make no doubt therefore of Succeſs in the Ticket provided it be choſen by Mrs. *Dubius*'s own fair Hand. The Reaſons *pro* and *con*, that is to ſay, *for* and *againſt* the two *Offices*, have, after a long and painful Diſcuſſion, puzzled me every bit as much as my Correſpondent, or the venerable Judge *Gripus* in the Play. I convened a few Friends to conſult about this arduous Point, who not being able to agree in any thing elſe, than that *much might be ſaid on both Sides*, we agreed to refer it to the firſt Perſon that came into the Room;—and who ſhould that be but my Printer's ΔιαΣολ@, in *Engliſh Devil*, for more Copy, as he calls my *MSS?* We ſtated the Matter to this black Arbitrator, who, with a Face more conſcious of Dirt than Corruption, pronounced Sentence without Heſitation for *Wilſon*; "Becauſe Sir, quoth he, he advertiſes in *our* Paper." I could have wiſhed this raſh Diſpenſer of Juſtice had ſpar'd his Reaſons, as they expoſed his Prepoſſeſſions, and myſelf, as a Party intereſted, to the Cenſures of *Lawyer Trotplaid* and his mock Law: But however I could not forbear thinking, that he made a much better Figure in his innocent Partiality, than a *Sage* who diſtinguiſhes a Face from the Bench and overſtrains the Law, under a ſpecious Veil of Gravity and Reaſoning, diſcernable perhaps to all, to cover the Prepoſſeſſions which our unwitting Judge, in the Simplicity of his Heart, diſcloſed.

Scurro, *Devil in Ordinary to the Preſs, to* 'Squire Trotplaid, *Informer-Extraordinary againſt it.*

SINCE thou wilt urge, ill-manner'd Wretch! my Rhime,
Take this in Part; —— the reſt may come in Time.
When erſt the *Sire* reſided *near* the Fleet,
In Want of ſomething, like the Son, to eat,
For Fifty Pounds in Hand, prime Fortune! paid,
Before the Prieſt he led his Servant Maid.
Curſe on the Scoundrel for the Deed he's done,
How I'm diſgrac'd! cried out his *pious* Son.
Who curſes Parents, or the *Primmer* lies,
The Ravens of the Vale will pick his Eyes!
Not ſo with *Grub* as yet, for ſtill he bears
Both Eyes, and, undeſerving, -- both his Ears:
Another Way did operate the Curſe,
In it's own Kind; *for better and for worſe*,
The Kitchen Maid is coupl'd with the '*Squire*,
Who copy'd that for which he curs'd his Sire.
Juſt Retribution! for, by Heaven ſcons'd,
He makes the *Scoundrel* he himſelf pronounc'd!
This Diff'rence only 'twixt the Sire and Son,
The firſt had Money but the other none.

LONDON.

On Tueſday Night one of his Majeſty's Meſſengers arrived at his Grace the Duke of Bedford's Office, Whitehall, Expreſs from Lord Sandwich at Aix-la-Chapelle, and brought with him, for the Approbation of this Court, a Copy of a Plan for a General Pacification; Copies of which were likewiſe ſent away Expreſs Yeſterday ſe'nnight from Aix to all the Courts intereſted in the preſent War, for their reſpective Approbations.

'Tis ſaid that his Pruſſian Majeſty will make a Tour to Goerde, to pay a Viſit to his Britannick Majeſty.

Laſt Tueſday his Grace the Duke of Richmond landed at Cowes, in the Iſle of Wight, from unboard the Yatch belonging to the Commiſſioner of the Dock at Portſmouth; and immediately went to the Seat of Col. Holme's, at Applercombe, attended by ſeveral Officers and Gentlemen.

We hear that the Earl of Halifax will be appointed firſt Lord of the Trade, in the room of Lord Monſon deceas'd.

We hear that Sir Charles Hanbury Williams, Knight of the Bath, now Envoy Extraordinary at Berlin, will ſucceed Sir William Corbet, Bart. deceaſed, as Clerk of the Pipe.

We are informed that the Duty on Malt, Mum, Perry, and Cyder, amounted laſt Year to 725,647 l. 10 s. 6 d. Half-penny.

It is ſaid a Plan will be laid before his Majeſty for rebuilding the Palace of Whitehall on his return from Hanover, which it is thought will be approved of, and an open Street made from thence to Weſtminſter Bridge.

They write from Caſtle Hill in Devonſhire, that the Right Hon. the Earl of Clinton has lately built a Chapel for the Conveniency of his Tenants and Servants to attend Divine Worſhip, and hath endowed it with ſixty Pounds a Year for a Clergyman to perform that Office.

We hear a Pardon is paſſing the Signet, to the late Earl of Cromartie, of all Treaſons, &c on Condition he lives within a certain Diſtrict in South Britain during Life; as likewiſe divers others to ſeveral Perſons concerned in the late Rebellion, to tranſport themſelves beyond the Seas to Places therein mentioned.

Wedneſday ſe'nnight Captain Cheap, who was Shipwreck'd in the Wager Man of War in Commodore Anſon's Expedition, and left by his Crew upon a deſolate Iſland in the South Seas, was married at the Cathedral in York to Mrs. Brown, a young Widow Lady.

On Saturday laſt died, in a very advanced Age, at his Seat in Suffolk, John Snipton, Eſq; many Years an eminent Surgeon of this City, who by great Skill in his Profeſſion, joined to an extenſive Knowledge in Phyſick, and an indefatigable Application to both, is ſaid to have acquired an immenſe Fortune, the Bulk of which he has left Shipton Dickens, Eſq; his Godſon.

A few Days ſince died, in Gray's-Inn, William Dyer, Eſq; Son of the famous News Letter Writer; who has left above Two Thouſand Pounds to Chriſt's-Hoſpital, and conſtituted the Treaſurer ſole Executor, to whom he left 20 l. and a Lottery Ticket.

Thurſday Morning Claud Arnaud, Eſq; Second Cook to his Majeſty, being in a high Fever, at his Houſe at Knightſbridge, jumped out of a Window, whereby he fractured his Scull, and 'tis thought he cannot recover.

Wedneſday Night ſome young Men quarreling upon the Road in their Return from Croydon-Fair, one of them was cut acroſs the Head in ſo terrible a Manner, that he died on Thurſday Morning at a Relation's he was carried to in the Borough.

Tueſday Morning as John Garlick, Robert Story, and Peter Prayer, were all at Work on the Top of a new Houſe belonging to Mr. Jones, at Knightſbridge; the Scaffold gave way and all of them fell down four Story high, but happily not one of them was killed, but all very much bruiſed; immediate Care was taken, but 'tis thought Garlick will not recover.

A few Days ago a Gentleman ſent a Number of Guineas to the Bank, one of which being bad, was cut in two, and returned to him again. On it's being examined, it appeared that the Artiſt had ſo well executed his Part in the Metal, that the Difference of Weight with a new Guinea was but three Grains, and it ſtood the Touch on the Stone with Aqua-fortis.

Wedneſday an eminent Tradeſman of this City for a Wager of 200 Guineas, walked from the Royal Exchange to Newington in Surry, which he performed in thirteen Minutes and a half.

Thurſday at Noon a Waggon, very heavily laden with Cheſts and Barrrels, came to the Bank from Deal, guarded by a Campany of Marines, for the Uſe of the Merchants of this City. The Money came in the Sheerneſs Man of War from Liſbon.

Extract of a Letter from an Officer belonging to his Majeſty's Ship Fowey, *dated at Charles-Town in South Carolina, July* 6.

"I doubt not before this you have heard of our different Turns of Fortune. The 29th of May we ſailed from Jamaica, in queſt of the Spaniſh Fleet, our Rendezvous being off Cape Correntes, where we were to meet our Ships which were ſent before by the Admiral. June 3, off the ſaid Cape, came athwart a Regiſter Ship nam'd the St. Judea, of 350 Tons, 22 Guns, and 102 Men, belonging to the Canaries, laſt from Figueria, with 6000 Fanagnes of Cocoa, Hides, &c. and about 57,000 Dollars, which we ſoon got on board our Ship. The 6th came up with our Fleet under Commodore Paulet, which next Day we parted Company with, for having our Prize in Tow, could not keep Way with them. We then made the beſt of our Way for Virginia. On the 27th, at Three in the Morning, we and our Prize and another Ship and Brigantine were all on Shore on Cape Florida, with little or no Wind: The Ship and Brigantine got off again, but his Majeſty's Ship Fowey and her Prize were both loſt, it not being poſſible to get them off again. We deſtroyed all we could of the Wreck, her Guns, &c. A Snow from New-York took us all up, and brought us ſafe to this Place the 3d Inſt."

Monday Night as William Rowlin, Eſq; of Bloomſbury, with his Lady, were on their Return Home in their Chariot, they were attacked by ſeveral Fellows near Holborn-Bars, who robbed them of their Watches and Money, and made off down Gray's-Inn-Lane with their Booty.

Laſt Week as a Servant Maid belonging to Captain Towlſon in Well-Cloſe Square, was looking out of Window late at Night, ſhe ſaw a Fellow bid a Woman ſtand, who was coming along with a Link in her Hand; which ſhe refuſing, he claped a Piſtol to her Breaſt, which ſhe ſtruck away with her Link, and the Blow made it go off; on which the Captain's Servant called out to the Watch, which the Fellow hearing, went away, but meeting the Woman's Huſband, who was coming to her Aſſiſtance, robbed him, and made clear off.

Laſt Week ſeveral Robberies were committed on the Portſmouth Road by two Highwaymen well mounted, who made a conſiderable Booty. —— The great Number of Robberies we continually hear of in the ſeveral Roads, and in this City and Suburbs, and the Probability of their encreaſing in the Winter Seaſon, requires the ſtricteſt Regard of all People to prevent them —— Many Schemes have been propoſed, but none ſeems more likely to anſwer the Purpoſe than that all People who let Lodgings ſhould be obliged to give an Account of all In-mates, their Buſineſs, &c.

On Mouday laſt John Hubbard was committed to New Priſon by Juſtice Poulſon, for further Examination, on Suſpicion of being concerned with ſeveral others, in feloniouſly ſtealing from behind the Woodford Stage Coach on Wedneſday ſe'nnight, a Deal Box, containing a large Quantity of Weaing-Apparel, &c. and upon Searching the ſaid Hubbard, there were found upon him a Silver Watch, with an Enamell'd Dial-Plate, with Gilt or Gold Hour and Minute Hands, the Makers Name on the Inſide, Philip Miege, a Geneve, No. 363, with a Cornelian Seal ſet in Silver, the Arms of the Right Hon. ——— Thompſon, Baron Haverſham. The Watch and Seal are left in the Hands of the ſaid Juſtice, in Bow-ſtreet Covent Garden.

They write from Vienna, that on the 8th Inſt. N.S. in the Evening, her Imperial Majeſty was delivered of a Princeſs, which died ſoon after it was baptiz'd.

According to Letters from Vienna by Wedneſday's Mail, it is decided, that the Ruſſian Troops ſhall Paſs the Winter in Bohemia, and that they are to be quartered in the Circles of Saatz, Bruntzlau and Koniſgratz, till the Return of the Spring enables them to continue their March.

They write from Dunkirk, that a new Baſon is actually ſinking at Gravalines, and great Preparations making at that Port, but for what reaſon is not known. The Dunkirkers however are afraid, that they ſhall be Sufferers by this new Project.

Letters from Palermo mention a frightful Sea-Monſter, which had been diſcovered floating near the Coaſt, ſo large, that 16 Pair of Oxen had been employed to draw it upon the Land.

Saturday the following Numbers were drawn Prizes at Guildhall, viz No. 56,565, 14,488, and 53970, of 1000 l. each; 62,833, 39,820, 2510, 18,205, 30,307, and 32,570, of 100 l. each

Monday the following Numbers were drawn Prizes, viz. No. 57,192, and 17,817, of 2000 l. each; 58,579, of 500 l. 2769, 62,944, 62,862, 14,913, and 2487, of 100 l. each.

Tueſday the following Numbers were drawn Prizes, viz. No. 31,921, 500 l. 46,712, 31,270, 25,400, 12,456, 33,055, and 36,337, 100 l. each.

Wedneſday the following Numbers were drawn Prizes, viz. No. 56,117, of 2000 l. 19,539, 56,480, 500 l. each; 24,877, 21,996, and 23.933, 100 l. each.

Thurſday Number 58,264 was drawn a Prize of 500 l. and 21,968, 23,305, 3,521, 13,630, 21,120, 34,957, of 100 l.

No. 57,192, a Prize of 2000 l. drawn on Monday is the Property of William Winthrop, Eſq; one of the Aldermen of the City of Cork.

The Ticket No. 17,817, a Prize of 2000 l. was purchaſed by a Club, meeting at the Red Lion in Whitecroſs-Street near Criplegate; it was ſold on Monday for 1860 l. and they divided 60 l. per Man, and forty Shillings left for an Entertainment, but one of the Members a ſhort Time before it was drawn, had unfortunately diſpoſed of his Share for Thirty Shillings.

SCOTLAND.

Edinburgh, Sept. 15. Yeſterday arrived here from London, the Rev. Mr. Geo. Whitefield, who has lately returned from the Weſt-Indies: He is to preach this Afternoon in the Orphan Hoſpital Park, where a Tent was erected this Morning for that Purpoſe.

Edinburgh, Sept. 13. We have Advice, that the Hon. Baſil Cochran, Brother to the Right Hon. the Earl of Dundonald, died lately at Portſmouth, on his Return from a Cruize on board his Majeſty's Ship the Aſſiſtance. As he was a young Man of a promiſing Genius, the Loſs is ſeverely felt by his Family and Relations, and ſincerely regretted by all that knew him.

Laſt Week was remitted to this Place by the Right Hon. the Earl of Hopton, and forwarded hence to Hamilton, the Sum of two Hundred Pounds Sterling, which his Lordſhip has generally contributed for Relief of the unhappy Sufferers by Fire in that Town. —— A truly laudable Example, and worthy of Imitation!

IRELAND.

Dublin, Sept. 13. Laſt Week the celebrated Mr. and Mrs. Lampe, and Mrs. Vincent, arrived here from England.

Sunday Morning the Right Hon. the Lord Darnley, and ſeveral other Perſons of Diſtinction, embarked on board his Majeſty's Yatch at Parkgate.

We hear that Freany, the Robber, is either killed or mortally wounded, by ſome Perſon that was ſet in Ambuſh for him, but his body cannot be found, being either buried or concealed by his Friends, tho' half the Country has been ſummoned in by the neighbouring Juſtices of the Peace, and examined concerning him.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

GERMANY.

Aix-la Chapelle, Sep. 24. 'Tis rumoured that the chief Difficulties, which have hitherto retarded the Signature of the Peace, are removed, and that the Definitive Treaty will probably be ſign'd one Day this Week. Certain it is that the Secretaries and their Clerks are very buſy, Night and Day, in copying it over. In the mean Time it is ſaid, that the Troops both French and Imperial, which are now in Quarters of Cantonment only, will break up in a Fortnight, and go into Winter-Quarters. The laſt Demand of Proviſions and Forage by the French, is for a Week only.

Vienna, Sept. 11. The famous Baron Trenck has been conducted to Speilberg, in Fetters and Handcuffs, purſuant to the following Sentence;

HER Majeſty the Empreſs Queen of Germany, Hungary and Bohemia, has found it juſt to ordain, and ordains accordingly, upon the Report that has been made to her of the Proceſs upon Enquiry againſt Baron Trenck, and the Reviſion which ſhe ordered of that Proceſs, that the ſaid Baron, on Account of the great Number of Crimes he has committed, ſhall loſe his Regiment, and all his other Employs in the Military Service, and that he ſhall be conducted to the Fort of Speilberg, to be there detained during Life in a cloſe Priſon; that moreover he ſhall be obliged to make entire Reparation for the Exceſſes which he committed in the Kingdoms of Hungary and Bohemia, after the Loſſes of the injured Parties have been fairly and clearly ſtated before Commiſſaries named expreſs for that Purpoſe; as alſo that he ſhall pay to Anna-Maria Gerſten-

bergerin, a Millar's Daughter by him violated, and for the Offence offered to her Parents, 1000 Florins by way of Satisfaction; and in like manner that he ſhall deliver into the Hands of the Aulic Council of War, for the Money extorted by him in the Duchy of Sileſia, the Sum of 15,000 Florins, to be employed in Works of Piety; and finally, that he ſhall pay the whole Expence of his Proceſs. As to the Reſt, Freedom ſhall be left to all and every one, who may think they have ſtill any Pretenſions againſt the aforeſaid Baron Trenck, to make their Complaints in the proper Courts, and to all thoſe who have already commenced Actions againſt him to proſecute their Rights, and proceed to Trial. The whole according to Juſtice.

Sigu'd,

MARIA THERESA.

There is a kind of Supplement to the above Sentence, being a Declaration of the Judges who reviſed the Proceſs, and importing in Subſtance;

THAT by the Sentence which was pronounced againſt him on the 29th of Auguſt, he ſaw what the Juſtice of her Imperial and Royal Majeſty, directed by the Advice of the firſt Commiſſaries, as well as of thoſe who had been charged with the Reviſion of the Proceſs, had determined in his Affair; and that, among other Things, he was condemned to end his Days in the Caſtle of Speilberg, in cloſe Confinement, That her Imperial Majeſty had however conſented to allow a Ducat a Day for his Subſiſtance, to be paid him by the Cheſt of Sequeſtration; that her Majeſty granted him leave alſo to have a Servant, and the Uſe of Pen and Paper, but with this Condition, that he ſhould not make bad Uſe of it, and that he ſhould not ſend away any Letters without having firſt communicated them to the Commandant: That if he had the Imprudence to abuſe this Favour, he muſt take the Blame on himſelf if they were obliged to treat him with more Severity: And as to his Effects, they continued to be ſequeſtred till the Sums, which the Sentence obliged him to make good, had been raiſed upon them, as likewiſe whatever elſe he ſhould be obliged to pay, &c.

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All which Symptoms in their sharpest Paroxysms, these so much fam'd and most pleasant Drops, (which are Chymically prepar'd from the most valuable Specificks in the Mineral, Vegetable, and Animal Kingdoms, and exalted to the highest Degree of Perfection possible) instantly quell, and at the same time annihilate their real Cause, directly bringing the Stomach into right Order, creating a good Appetite, rectifying the Digestion, occasioning laudable Chyle, and, of course, good Blood, Plenty of calm, free, and cheerful Spirits, a regular Circulation of all the Fluids, and Strength of Nerves; so that both Cause and Effects of Melancholy and Vapours, are thoroughly removed by them, almost on the Spot, as the many Thousands of both Sexes they have perfectly cured, evince.

Whoever takes them for three Days only, will be sensible they are absolutely to be depended upon for an effectual and lasting Cure, and certain it is, that no Medicine upon Earth can equal them; be careful therefore to have the right Drops, which are to be had only at Mrs. Holt's at the Crois-Keys and Star below the Royal Exchange, in Cornhill, at 3s 6d a Bottle with Directions at large.

The only short and infallible Cure for that reigning Disease the SCURVY, *and all Scorbutick Humours, tho' arrived to the highest or most inveterate Degree, or of ever so many Years standing, and that without any sensible Evacuation, or the least Purging, which, by an unaccountable Mistake, is generally advised, altho' always found rather to encrease and confirm the Scurvy than cure it*

by the so much fam'd and most Pleasant Chymical DROPS.

WHICH, without the least Trouble, Confinement, or any Disorder whatever, dost once strike at the true Cause of the Scurvy and entirely destroy it, and all Scorbutick Humours and Effects, Root and Branch, so as never to return again, as many Thousands of both Sexes have experienced, and as all who take them, in Three Days Time are convinced; for they almost instantly alter the morbid State of the Juices, purify the Blood, sweeten all the Fluids, cleanse them from Impurities, and directly clear the whole Habit from all Spots Blotches, black and blue Marks, Itchings, foul Eruptions or Breakings out, Weakness of the Limbs, languid Heaviness of the whole Body, wandering Pains, Weakness of the Back, and all the vast Variety of Symptoms by which the Scurvy imitates and often lies conceal'd under the Appearance of the Rheumatism, and many other Distempers.

And for strengthening the Stomach, immediately creating a good Appetite, causing a regular and easy Digestion of Food, and curing all windy Effects and Disorders of the first Passages, (whence proceed Head-Aches, Vapours, and other Indispositions) no Bitters, nor any other Medicine upon Earth can compare with them; insomuch that besides infallibly curing the Scurvy in all its Shapes and Appearances they assuredly and directly cure the Green-Sickness in Virgins, Worms, of all Kinds, in Young or Old, and almost all other Chronick Diseases which are chiefly occasioned by Indigestion and flatulent Crudities in the Stomach and Bowels) and certainly prevent Fevers, Agues, and other acute Distempers.

But the great Reputation these so much fam'd and most pleasant Chymical DROPS have so universally gain'd among Persons of Eminence, for their suddenly and infallibly curing the Scurvy and all Scorbutick Humors, and other Chronick Diseases, in such an easy and agreeable Manner, have occasioned many to imitate them, some under the same, and others under other Names; be careful therefore not to be deceived, but be sure to have the Right, which, by the Author's special Appointment, are to be had only at the Gentlewoman's at the two blue Pots in Haydon Yard in the Minories, at 3s. 6d a Bottle, with Directions.

The most wonderful cleansing and strengthning Drops for all Sorts of Gleets, and Seminal Weaknesses and Imbecilities of the Generative Parts and Faculties, preventing Miscarriages in Women; and to cleanse and strengthen the Reins, Kidnies and Bladder, cure weak Backs, Stranguries, Gravel, and Stoppage of the Urine, and for which it has gained such Repute, that near 20000 Bottles have been sold since April 1734, that they were first publish'd.

THESE incomparable Drops, which for the above said Disorders are not to be equall'd in the whole Art of Medicine, were prescrib'd by the late Dr. Ratcliffe, for a certain noble Lord, who for a long Time had been vex'd with an old obstinate Gleet and Weakness, of which he was cured by them in a few Days, beyond all Expectation, after he had been harrass'd with Electuaries, Boluses, Pills, Potions, Injections, and a hundred other Medicines, for many Months together in vain.

The Apothecary who prepared them for him according to the Doctor's Prescription (which he has still upon his File) has made Use of them ever since to Numbers of People in the very worst of Gleets, seminal and genital Imbecilities and Infertilities, Pains in the Back and Reins, Disorders of the Urine and Gravel, &c with the utmost Success and Safety; as also in all Weaknesses from Strains, as well as Venereal Relicts, excessive Coition, Self Pollution, seminal Emissions in Sleep, Falls, Blows, Wrenches, and the like, in both Sexes.

And as they have never once failed him, even in Cases thought to be incurable, he now, for general Good, has made them publick: And that the meaner Sort of People might partake of the Benefit of so divine a Remedy as well as the Rich, he has put them up in Bottles of but 3 s 6 d each, tho' for the Excellency of their Effects they are worth their Weight in Gold, more especially as one Bottle of them generally Cures, even in the most draining Gleets, and grievous Relaxations and Weaknesses of the Seminals and Genitals, as also of the Back and Reins, that are.

Nor can there be prepared, by any Art or Skill, a more cleansing and healing, or a more strengthening and invigorating Medicine, or one that can more effectually cure Impotency, or promote Fertility, than this, as every one that but once tries it will say, by their soon finding the Difference between this and other Remedies; for it will do more in one Day towards restoring in these Weaknesses than any others can in ten, and is of so corroborating a Nature that it may be entirely rely'd upon for curing perfectly and firmly, without Fear of Relapse, even in the tenderest Constitutions, which can hardly be said of any other Medicine; and it is withal so elegantly pleasant to the Palate, and so agreeable to the Stomach that the nicest Person is delighted with it.

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